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Name of the Course : B.Sc. (Hons.) Botany

Name of the Paper : Plant Metabolism

Semester : VI

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 75

Instructions for Candidates:

- (a) Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
- (b) Question No.1 is compulsory. Attempt any five questions including question no. 1.
- (c) All questions carry equal marks.
- (d) Attempt all parts of a questions together.
- 1. (a) Explain the following (any five): 1×5=5
 - (i) Coupled reaction
 - (ii) Nitrification
 - (iii) Anaplerotic reaction
 - (iv) Second messenger
 - (v) Triglycerides pigments
 - (vi) Accessory Pigments

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(b) Fill in the blanks (any five):

1×5=5

- (i) is a metabolic pathway common to both fermentation and aerobic respiration.
- (ii) Isocitrate lyase is located in
- (iii) Glutamate synthase is also known as.....
- (iv) F₀ F₁ ATPase was isolated and purified by.....
- (v) Lipids are hydrolysed by the enzyme.....
- (vi) Regulation of enzymes by phosphorylation-dephosphorylation is known as......
- (c) Name/s the followings (any five): 1×5=5
 - (i) Enzyme that converts nitrite to ammonia
 - (ii) Three phases of Calvin cycle
 - (iii) An inhibitor of cytochrome oxidase
 - (iv) An essential fatty acid
 - (v) Organelles involved in photorespiration
 - (vi) Enzyme that catalyzes introduction of double bonds into fatty acids
- 2. Explain the following (any three):

5×3=15

(a) Pentose phosphate pathway and its significance.

(b) C₄ cycle and its significance

- (c) Amphibolic role of citric acid cycle
- (d) Sucrose biosynthesis
- (e) Isoenzymes and their significance
- 3. Differentiate between the following (any five) :

 $3 \times 5 = 15$

- (a) Anabolism and catabolism
- (b) Reductive amination and transamination
- (c) Oxidative phosphorylation and photophoshorylation
- (d) Synthesis and degradation of fatty acids
- (e) Aerobic and anaerobic respiration
- (f) Action and absorption spectrum
- 4. (a) Give a diagrammatic representation of Citric acid cycle. What is the net gain of ATP in one round of citric acid cycle?
 - (b) How do oil seeds convert oil into sugars during germination? Explain with the help of schematic diagram.
- 5. (a) Illustrate Z scheme and discuss the role of two photosystems in converting light energy to chemical energy in plants.

- (b) Discuss symbiotic nitrogen fixation with reference to
 - (i) nodulation
 - (ii) role of dinitrogenase and leghaemoglobin 8
- 6. (a) Explain chemiosmotic mechanism of ATP synthesis. Describe an experimental evidence that support it.
 - (b) Write the role of calcium and phospholipids in signal transduction.

OR

What are allosteric enzymes? Discuss their role in regulation of metabolism.

- 7. Write explanatory notes (any three): 5×3=15
 - (a) CAM pathway
 - (b) Substrate level phosphorylation
 - (c) Role of acetyl CoA in metabolism
 - (d) β -oxidation
 - (e) Cyanide resistant pathway